



Virgin Islands National Park

## Working with Virgin Islands

### By the Numbers

Almost every American city and town claims a little bit of the National Park Service. Communities invite us to help them. Together we build trails and playgrounds, return historic buildings to productive use, revitalize neighborhoods, expand affordable housing, protect watersheds, recognize and promote local history, and introduce the next generation to stewardship opportunities. When we combine our expertise and resources we can accomplish great things.

5 national parks

638,298 visitors to national parks (in 2010)

\$56,572,000 economic benefit from national park tourism (in 2009)

88 National Register of Historic Places listings

8,446 hours donated by volunteers (in 2010)

7 National Natural Landmarks

5 National Historic Landmarks

\$2,142,609 in Land & Water Conservation Fund grants (since 1965)

2 federal acres transferred for local parks and recreation (since 1948)

\$10,197,474 in historic preservation grants

2 community conservation and recreation projects (since 1987)

183 historic places documented by the National Park Service

1,029,219 objects in national park museum collections

15 threatened and endangered species in national parks

149 archeological sites in national parks

These numbers are just a sample of the National Park Service's work. Figures updated 12/2010.

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